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Huns Badly Whipped.

Kaiser Abdicated Sunday, An Armistice Signed Monday and Fighting Ceased.

Germany Was Brought to Her Knees Completely and Must Accept the Best Terms She Can Get From the Allies Which Will Not Be Easy Terms.

The bloody fighting in Europe stopped last Monday, November 11th, at 11 a. m. six hours after Germany signed the drastic terms laid down by the allies and General Foch. It was equivalent to unconditional surrender. The chief murderer, Kaiser Bill, had escaped with his scalp to Holland the day before, after having abdicated from the throne. His son, heir to the throne, also signed an agreement renouncing all claim to succeed his father. It is reported he has been shot by the enraged populace. Germany is seething with revolution and the danger of going to the extreme of anarchy is now imminent.

The story is told in our columns of how the awful carnage of four years and four months came to an end. The next thing is the peace meeting of all nations involved, to settle and sign the treaties. This may consume three or four months. The war will not be officially ended until that is done. The greatest of all wars has ended right. The true God—not the god of the blasphemous Kaiser—directed the closing of this terrible human outrage.

KAISER FLEES TO HOLLAND

Lawson, November 10.—Both the former German Emperor and his eldest son, Frederick William, crossed the Dutch frontier Sunday morning, according to advices from The Hague. Practically the whole German General Staff, including, it is reported, Field Marshal von Hindenburg, accompanied the former Emperor, and 10 automobiles were bristling with rifles and all the fugitives were armed. The former Kaiser was in uniform. He alighted at the Eysden Station and paced the platform, smoking a cigarette.

Evaden lies about midway between Liege and Maastricht, on the Dutch border.

Chatting with the members of the staff the former Emperor, the correspondent says, did not look in the least distressed. A few minutes later an imperial train, including restaurant and sleeping cars, arrived.

Only servants were aboard. The engine returned to Vise, Belgium and brought back a second train in which were a large number of staff officers and others, and also stores of food.

The German Consul from Maastricht arrived soon after 8 o'clock. Dutch railway officials soon made their appearance, and many of the inhabitants came to the station, attracted by curiosity.

Many photographs were taken of the imperial party. On the whole, the people were quiet, but Belgians among them yelled out, "En voyage!"

ELEVEN.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Although the war did not end in accordance with the numerous prophecies of seers and star gazers, the grand finale was cryptic to this extent: Hostilities ceased on the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year and in addition the eleventh hour was truly Germany's "eleventh hour," as the armistice terms show.

PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, will hold a prayer and praise service at the church on Friday at 2 o'clock. This will take the place of the week of prayer and self denial services that were postponed on account of influenza. All the ladies of the town are cordially invited to attend.

THE CHURCHES.

The churches opened last Sunday and the services were well attended. Next Sunday night all churches will have special services, giving thanks for the closing of the war.

HOW GERMANY IS STRIPPED OF POWER

The strictly military terms of the armistice include the evacuation of all invaded territories, the withdrawal of the German troops from the left bank of the Rhine and the surrender of all supplies of war.

They also provide for the abandonment by Germany of the treaties of Bucharest and Brest-Litovsk.

The naval terms provide for the surrender of 160 submarines, 50 destroyers, 6 battle cruisers, 10 battle ships, 8 light cruisers and other miscellaneous ships.

Besides the surrender of the submarines, it is required that all others shall have their crews paid off, put out of commission and placed under the supervision of the allied and American naval forces.

All allied vessels in German hands are to be surrendered, and Germany is to notify neutrals that they are free to trade on the seas with the allied countries.

Among the financial terms included are restitution for damages done by the German armies; restitution of the cash taken from the National Bank of Belgium and return of gold taken from Russia and Roumania.

The military terms include the surrender of 6000 guns, half field and half light artillery; 20,000 machine guns, 3,000 flame throwers and 2000 airplanes.

The surrender of 5,000 locomotives, 50,000 wagons, 10,000 motor lorries, the railways of Alsace-Lorraine for use by the allies, and stores of coal and iron also are included.

The immediate repatriation of all allied and American prisoners without reciprocal action by the allies also is included.

In connection with the evacuation of the left bank of the Rhine it is provided that the allies shall hold the crossings of the river at Coblenz, Cologne and Mayence, together with bridgeheads and a 3-kilometer radius.

The right bank of the Rhine, that occupied by the allies, is to become a neutral zone, and the bank held by the Germans is to be evacuated in 15 days. The armistice is for 30 days, but the President spoke of the war as "coming to an end."

German troops are to retire at once from any territory held by Russia, Roumania and Turkey before the war. The allied forces to have access to the evacuated territory either through Dantzig or by the River Vistula.

The unconditional surrender of all German forces in East Africa within one month is provided.

The repatriation within 14 days of the thousands of unfortunate civilians deported from France and Belgium is required.

German troops which have not left the invaded territories, which specifically includes Alsace-Lorraine, within 14 days become prisoners of war.

Freedom of access to the Baltic Sea with power to occupy German forts in the Cattagat, is another provision. The Germans also must reveal location of mines, poisoned wells and like agencies of destruction, and the allied blockade is to remain unchanged during the period of armistice.

All ports of the Black Sea, occupied by Germans, are to be surrendered, and the Russian war vessels, recently taken by the German naval forces, also are to be surrendered to the allies.

The President made it plain that the nations which had overthrown the military masters of Germany will now attempt to guide the German people safely to the family of Nations of Democracy.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

The union Thanksgiving service will be held this year in the Baptist Church and the sermon will be preached by the Rev. H. O. Chambers. The hour of the meeting will be announced Sunday morning.

CONVENTION POSTPONED

The Kentucky Highway Engineers Convention which was to be held at Owensboro Nov. 13 and 14 has been postponed on account of the influenza epidemic. The meeting is to be held at a date to be announced later.

THE NEED FOR RED CROSS WORK GREAT AS EVER.

To All Chapters: Instructions received from Washington Tuesday prescribe: That the making of surgical dressings must be stopped immediately.

All other forms of hapter production activity must be continued. Calls from Red Cross Commissioners in many parts of the world make known the unlimited need for civilian relief. The Chapters therefore, should finish at once, uncompleted orders of garments for refugees, so as to be prepared to take care of additional orders. Work on refugee garments at this time is all emergency work and should be stimulated to the utmost. The need for civilian relief for the winter in pressing and the garment now will be of infinitely greater service in saving a life than many garments in three or four months from now.

Further information will follow as the situation develops.

THE ROLL CALL

In view of the above mentioned need for Red Cross work we trust every loyal citizen and patriot will use every effort to further the ROLL CALL to begin about Nov. 20, in other words just as soon as the campaign material arrives. As an illustration for the call for garments of various kinds the Lawrence County Chapter has bills to the amount of \$368 for goods received this month. You can show your gratitude now in a very practical way.

OVERSEAS PARCELS.

The rumor that you can send more than three pounds and need no permit has no confirmation from Red Cross Headquarters. We have their direct answer by telegraph.

Washington is forming plans to relieve the situation if your label does not arrive and the Red Cross Office here will be informed as soon as plans are complete. Bring in your labels. Nov. 20 is the limit.

ERNEST CHAFFIN KILLED IN FRANCE

A telegram received Thursday by Fred Chaffin, of Dry Ridge, this county, says his son Ernest was killed in France October 14th. He was with the engineer forces and went to France last year. The department is nearly a month behind in reporting cases from some sectors.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court is about over. The juries were discharged today. No felony cases were tried, all going over to next term. The grand jury made 63 indictments.

MRS. JOE COMPTON.

Mrs. Joe Compton died at her home at Lock No. 2, Kavanaugh, Thursday morning. She had been sick more than a year. She submitted to an operation at Riverview hospital at Louisa last spring, where she remained for two months. This gave her only temporary relief. The remains were interred at the beautiful cemetery at Kavanaugh chapel Buchanan chapel Saturday morning.

Mrs. Compton leaves besides her husband one daughter Mrs. Burns Finney and two sons, Raymond, 18 and Homer 16 years old. Many relatives from a distance attended the funeral. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers.

CASUALTY LIST

Martin County Man.
Jas. Porter, of Tomahawk, Martin county, was killed in action.

Wounded in Action.
Warton Noble, of Ned, Breathitt county, was severely wounded.

Died of Disease.
Private Ernest Skaggs of Greenup, is among those who recently died of disease in France.

Ashland Man Wounded.
Corporal Jas. H. Felty of Ashland, was wounded in action.

Wayne Boy Wounded.
Lonnie Dickerson, of Wayne, W. Va. was slightly wounded in action.

Wm. G. Harmon, of Falcon, Magoffin county has been wounded severely in action.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
John E. Maynard, 35, to Lavina Payne, 23.

Lindsay Fannin, 50 to Mary White, 42.

John Steele, 27, to Lottie Boggs, 16.

DEATH IN FT. GAY.
Mrs. Bert Phillips died last Friday of pneumonia at her home in Ft. Gay. The funeral and burial took place on Saturday. She was a daughter of Wm. Ratcliff.

MUSICAL AT BAPTIST CHURCH.
Misses Catherine Carey and Anna Mary Miller will give a musical at the Baptist Church on Friday evening November 15, beginning at 6:30. They are pupils of Miss Colman. The public is invited.

Carson Sloan died Oct. 31 at his home of influenza. The body was laid to rest near the home in the Boyd burying ground. He was 17 years old.

"MUN" WEBB DIES AT GREENUP

POPULAR WHOLESALE GROCER FORMERLY OF LOUISA, VIC. TIM OF SPANISH "FLU"

The death of M. J. Webb, which occurred at Greenup Tuesday, brings sorrow to many people in Lawrence county. He was a native of this county, having grown up at Webbville. He came to Louisa several years ago when his cousin, Dr. M. G. Watson, engaged in the wholesale grocery business. Afterwards Mr. Webb went to Greenup and established the Union Grocery Company, making quite a success of the business. He was an honest, upright business man, respected by everybody. A wife and two children, a boy and girl, survive.

LETTERS FROM HON. EDGAR B. HAGER.

Hon. E. B. Hager, of Ashland, who is in France with the Y. M. C. A. organization, has written some very interesting descriptive letters to his daughter, Miss Virginia, of Louisa. He arrived in England a few weeks ago and then proceeded to France, spending a week or more in Paris. We expected to publish extracts from some of these letters this week but the big happenings in war matters have taken a great deal of our space and we shall use the letters later.

WHISKY CONFISCATED.

Marshal R. S. Chaffin captured 115 gallons of liquor passing through Louisa on the passenger train, and those having it have been fined \$150, during the week. The liquor was poured out in the gutter. A high official of Pike county lost his traveling bag and liquor in one of these raids.

ELWOOD KINNER'S SON

The Ashland-Independent says: The many friends of Matthew Warnock Kinner will be pleased to know of his recent promotion.

Matthew graduated from the Green up high school last May and in September entered Centre College, Danville, Ky., where he became a member of the Students' Army Training Corps.

From about 100 students at Centre, 10 were last week designated for officers' training at Camp Hancock, Ga. Matthew was one of the 10, and the only freshman to receive the appointment. It is especially gratifying to note that he is also the youngest such appointee, being only 18.

LIBERTY LOAN ROLL

The following are additional names of buyers of Liberty Bonds:
Jas. N. Compton, Mrs. Esther McClure.

Blaine Buyers.

N. T. Rice, Mrs. N. T. Rice, Dr. C. B. Rice, Mrs. C. B. Rice, Merrill Rice, H. H. and J. J. Gambill, Chas. F. Gambill, Gladys Gambill, Anna, Louis Gambill, Mrs. H. C. Osborn, John S. Osborn, Peter Sparks, Ellis H. Pruitt, Lunda Baker, Opal Baker, Roscoe C. Miller, M. M. Ferguson, Mrs. M. M. Ferguson, Mabel Ferguson.

Arthur Boggs, Mrs. Arthur Boggs, Martin H. Skaggs, A. E. Lyon, P. P. Holbrook, E. F. Johnson, Mrs. E. F. Johnson, Ben F. Salyer, R. N. Sparks, Proctor Sparks, N. Sparks & Son, James E. Hay, Lowell V. Fyffe, Mrs. R. L. Rose, Mrs. Ethel O. Moore, Mrs. Cora Skaggs, Ford Skaggs, Jesse A. Young, Morton E. Sparks, Miss Emma Sparks, Jas. I. Lyon, M. M. Walter, Chas. L. Osborn, Chas. Gordon, Dameron, Jack Dameron, Jesse H. Cordie, Emily J. Morris, Jas. L. Ross, R. T. Berry, E. C. Berry.

In Lyons precinct Dr. C. B. Rice, chairman, the people made a fine record by purchasing \$9150 worth of bonds.

Over the Top \$12,000

The railroad reports sales of \$13,900 4th Liberty Bonds. This makes Lawrence county's sale \$146,250, or \$11,900 over our quota.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING. AMERICAN RED CROSS.

Please take notice that the Annual Meeting of the Lawrence County Chapter of the American National Red Cross will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 20, 1918, at 7:00 o'clock of said day at M. E. Church, South, for the election of an Executive Committee, consideration of and action upon reports, and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Chapter. Each member of the Chapter is earnestly urged to be present.

Signed,
A. C. BOSTWICK, Secretary.

TO VISIT RELATIVES
Mrs. Claude Vaughan and daughter arrived a few days ago from New Jersey for a visit to J. L. Vaughan and family. Lieut. Vaughan is in a New Jersey camp.

ATTORNEY JNO. OSBORN.
Hon. John Samuel Osborn of the Lawrence County Bar was introduced by Gen. C. H. Morris and sworn in as an attorney last Friday at Frankfort in the Court of Appeals.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Atkins have moved to Twin Branch, W. Va.

EXPRESS MESSENGERS ARE ON A STRIKE

All express messengers got off the trains at 11 o'clock Wednesday under a general strike order for higher wages. This necessitated an embargo on express shipments and a great deal of loss and damage will result. An enormous amount of business has been handled lately by express, and there will be much inconvenience by stopping it.

MOVED TO LOUISA

Mr. Lindsey and family will occupy the house in which Mr. J. P. Gartin has been living, on Franklin street. Mr. and Mrs. Gartin and sons will take rooms at the hotel for the winter.

Mr. Lindsey has leased some coal property at Ivel, Floyd county, and is having mines opened up on same.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

"Helping Each Other," is the subject for the morning hour. At the evening hour the service will be appropriate to the celebration to the end of the world war. Every patriotic citizen is expected to attend some church on Sunday evening.

The morning service will be at 10:30; 6:30 is the evening preaching hour. Prayer meeting Thursday 6:30 Bible Class Thursday p. m.

Sunday School 9:00 a. m. Epworth League 5:30 p. m.

Herbert O. Chambers, Pastor.

CASE REVERSED.

The Court of Appeals has reversed the case of Big Blaine Oil Company vs. F. H. Yates involving a part of the Ira Benard farm in the Fallsburg oil field. Mr. Yates won the case in the lower courts.

CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

Louisa Caudill, of Prestonsburg, is one of the fourteen added to the Confederate pension roll since the last distribution.

ARMY DRAFT CALLS ARE CANCELLED

Almost the first action of the War Department after announcement of the armistice with Germany, was the cancellation of all army draft calls.

Urgent telegrams prepared three days ago at the direction of Provost Marshal General Crowder, were sent to all local draft boards, directing that the movement of 252,000 men under orders to entrain between Monday and Friday, be stopped immediately.

Until further notice no inductions or calls, except for the navy and marine corps will be permitted. One call for a few thousand men for the navy is now in preparation, but volunteers to date have more than filled the requirements of the navy and marine corps.

NOTICE FROM LOCAL BOARD.

The boys ordered in to Louisa for physical examination next Saturday, Nov. 16 must come before the local board. The war is not over for you. The local board is directed to complete your examination and classification.

PIKE COUNTY MAN

DIES FROM INJURIES.

Elijah Sypherson was brought here to the hospital in a dying condition a few days ago, and lived only a short time. He was from Mossy Bottom, Pike county, and was injured while working at an oil derrick.

PROCLAMATION

The war has closed. There should be no heart in all this land of ours which does not rejoice in this fact. In the midst of our rejoicing there should be a spirit of thanksgiving to Almighty God to whom we looked in the long years of warfare and to whom belongs the glory of the victory.

Therefore, as mayor of the City of Louisa, I urge every citizen to attend their respective churches at both services Sunday, and especially the evening service at which time a special service of praise and gratitude to God will be held.

No boy in this city has been wounded or killed. This should offer an additional reason for a time of thanks giving.

AUGUSTUS SNYDER, Mayor City of Louisa.

HUNS TAKE BELGIAN FOOD.

On the Battle Front in Belgium, November 7.—German soldiers at one point during the retreat in Belgium carried off a stock of flour, lard and pork purchased by the Belgian Relief Commission and destined to feed the Belgian civilian population.

Sixteen noncommissioned officers entered a flour mill and ordered the German soldiers to load six box cars with flour valued at \$100,000. The Relief Commission's stores then were robbed of 48,000 pounds of lard and 18,000 pounds of pork.

DEATH TAKES MRS. JOHN G. LACKEY.

A telegram was received on Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. James Q. Lackey announcing the death of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. John G. Lackey, of East Liverpool, Ohio. She was thought to be well on her way to recovery from an attack of influenza when they heard from her a few days ago and it is supposed a relapse caused her death.

CLYDE LESTER KILLED IN FRANCE

OTIS JACKSON, ANOTHER WAYNE COUNTY BOY, DIES ON BATTLE FRONT.

The following items from Fort Gay W. Va., refer to young men who lived only a few miles across from Louisa in West Virginia. They were from two of Wayne county's best families and were excellent young men.

Mrs. P. P. Lester received a message the 7th from the War Department that her son Clyde was killed in action on the 4th of October. P. P. has a position at Ethel, W. Va., and the message was forwarded to him. Clyde wrote a letter to his father the 2nd of October in which he enclosed a part of a German newspaper and said the German officer had got in a hurry to leave and had left the paper behind, which goes to prove that he was on the firing line. Clyde was an up-right young man in every respect, strictly moral and a member of Green brier Baptist church, a graduate from Marshall college at Huntington; a Royal Arch Mason and a young man loved by all who knew him. He leaves a father, mother, four brothers two sisters and a host of relatives and friends.

H. Jackson of near Wayne received a telegram last Sunday that his son, Otis Jackson died of pneumonia in France October 2.

DR. L. T. VINSON MARRIED.

Dr. Lindsay T. Vinson and Mrs. Marie Cort, of Huntington, were married Sunday evening at the home of the bride's parents. Dr. Vinson is stationed at Ft. Hancock, Ga., where they expect to spend the winter.

JUNIOR RED CROSS.

We have no word regarding the future use of nut shells but we made a shipment of 298 pounds last week. The schools are given credit in the names of the teachers as follows:

Sallie Gearhart, 107 pounds.
Ethel Layne 26 pounds.
Nora Roberts 56 pounds.
Marie Holt 24 pounds.
George Brown 32 pounds.
Emma Layne 17 pounds.
Mrs. W. M. Byington 16 pounds.
Irene Pickrell 11 pounds.
Alonso Arrington 3 pounds.
Gussie O'Daniel 7 pounds.
Maude Miller 3 pounds.

JUNIOR BAZAAR.

A very important letter regarding the Junior Red Cross Bazaar will be sent to the organized schools as soon as the country schools open.

NEXT MONDAY THE WAR WORK CAMPAIGN ENDS

The United War Work Campaign will close next Monday, the 15th. Lawrence county's quota is \$9860. If the people respond as well as they did in the Red Cross campaign earlier in the year the amount will be raised.

As has been stated in these columns before, this is for the Y. M. C. A. and six other organizations doing a great work among the soldiers. The fact that fighting has ceased does not lessen the need for this money. Two armies must remain on duty for more than a year. The needs of our boys must be met until they are actually back at their homes, and they will come back cleaner in their lives and habits and in better health and spirits. If these great unselfish welfare organizations are enabled to stay on the job until the last.

FORT GAY

Harry Lambert, son-in-law of Alton Riggs, died at Hatfield, W. Va. the 7th. Interment was made on the head of Patrick Creek, near the home of his mother, Mrs. Lillian Hatten. The deceased leaves a wife and three small children.

School will commence at the graded school the 11th inst.

Edgar Lester and wife of Kenova are paying their parents Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Lester and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Christian a visit.

Burgess Smith, and N. & W. brake-man was instantly killed at Kenova Tuesday morning. He was coupling cars and his foot caught between the rails and he was knocked down, run over and killed his head being horribly mashed.

The deceased was the son of Jas. Smith who moved to Kenova a short time ago from Gragston.

Claude Copley, son of T. A. Copley, died Monday after a few days illness of pneumonia.

George Plummer of Logan, W. Va. was visiting his brothers-in-law D. and Pharo Osburn, this week.

T. E. Bloss and son Albert and F. Scoggs of Cerdo were guests of T. E.'s sister, Mrs. P. P. Lester, the 7th and 8th. They took a good rabbit hunt for the Hunting Lumber and Supply Company at Kenova and are home on account of his daughter Madge, who is a real sick girl.

Kimmie Davis and family have all had the influenza but at this writing are better.